



Important Dates:

**November 16th- Holiday Craft Fair at grange @
10am-4pm
December 7th - Tree Lighting 6PM**



Holiday Craft Fair

Get your holiday shopping done and support our local Scotts Mills Grange on November 16th, 2024, Hours are 10am- 4pm.

Christmas Food Boxes

Last year the Scotts Mills Food Cupboard located in the Community Center helped provide food for Christmas day to many families in Scotts Mills and surrounding areas. This year they are expecting to help even more families with holiday meals. If you are able to support this endeavor, please drop off nonperishable food items to the Community Center (at the corner of Grandview and 4th) through December 11th.

If your family would like to receive a Christmas box, you must be a resident of Scotts Mills and sign up at the Community Center on Tuesdays between November 26th-December 10th, 2024, from 9am-11am. Pick up of the Christmas food boxes TBD.



Tree Lighting



Our Tree Lighting is back! Please join us on Friday December 7th at 6pm at the City Park. Dinner will be available for a donation to the park.

City Hall Closers

**November 11th & 29th
December 20th-January 6th**

Water Billing

If you would like to sign up for automatic water payments, please email clerk@scottsmills.org or call (503)873-5435 to be sent the form to fill out.

Veteran's Day

The City of Scotts Mills would like to say thank you to all of those who have served! It is because all of you that we are free.



With the rainy season here, it is important to make sure that everyone is doing their part to prevent water runoff pollution. Here are some helpful tips so you can do your part to reduce water runoff pollution.

- Buy "environmentally safe" household cleaners.
 - Properly store all toxic materials.
- Take all unwanted hazardous materials and containers to local collection sites.
 - Use kitty litter or other absorbent to remove spills from pavement.
 - Use pesticides, herbicides and fertilizers sparingly and carefully.
 - Use a broom instead of a hose to clean up yard clippings.
 - Pick up animal wastes and dispose of them in garbage cans.
- Maintain your septic system. Septic systems require regular inspections, maintenance and pumping.

Please prepare yourself in case we have future events that threaten our safety. You can sign up using the information below.

City of Scotts Mills, OR Text Alerts!

Get city updates sent directly to your phone via text message.

TextMyGov



The screenshot shows a text message exchange. The sender is 'CITY ALERTS! 91896'. The message says 'SCOTSMILLSINFO' and 'You've requested to join our text notification list. Reply 'YES' to opt-in.' The recipient replies 'Yes'. The sender replies 'You have successfully opted-in.' At the bottom, there is a text input field with 'SCOTSMILLSINFO' and a green arrow button. Below the input field is a keyboard with '123', a globe icon, a downward arrow icon, 'space', and 'return' buttons.

Sign up to receive city text message notifications!

Opt-in today!

Text **SCOTSMILLSINFO**
to: **91896**

What to Expect:

- After the initial keyword is sent, you will receive a confirmation message asking you to reply **YES** to verify opt-in.
- You may receive (up to 4 / multiple) text messages a month. Notifications may include **Upcoming Events, Garbage Delays, Road Closures, Storm Warnings, and Power Outages.**
- You can text **STOP** at any time to remove yourself from the notification list.

Msg & data rates may apply. Check with your carrier for details. View terms and privacy policy info at: textmygov.com/opt-in-terms-conditions

Did you know you can recycle batteries?

Please see how to do so here:



The infographic is titled 'Batteries' and includes translations: 'Pilas', 'Батарейки', 'Bin', and '电池'. It shows three steps: 1. Taping ends of all batteries (except alkaline) with clear tape. 2. Bagging all batteries in a 1 qt. zip-seal bag. 3. Setting the bag on top of glass in the glass bin. A blue recycling bin is shown at the end. The text 'Single-family residential customers only.' is at the bottom.